

Washington State Quilters Stitch 'n Time

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General Membership Meeting CenterPlace

2426 N. Discovery Place, Spokane Valley, WA

April 24, 2025, 1 pm and 6 pm

Workshops: Friday, April 25, 2025, 9-4;

Saturday, April 26, 2025, 9-4



WSQ Presents Jean Impey

Jean Impey of SewJean.com is a passionate quilter, teacher and speaker with a mission to spark creativity and share the joy of quilting. She will be sharing her years of teaching and lecturing experience, along with her

love for textiles through engaging workshops and inspiring lectures. Jean's work has been featured in **Quilting Arts Magazine**, on **Quilting Arts TV**, and at premier quilting events such as the Houston International Quilt Show and Empty Spools Seminars. Her art is showcased in both public and private collections, including prestigious commissions for UCI Medical, Kaiser Permanente, CHOC and the Naval Hospital at Camp Pendleton.

At the April 24th, 1pm, WSQ General Membership meeting Jean will be entertaining us with her "**Cre-a-tiv-i-ty**" lecture – A fresh look at rediscovering inspiration and artistic courage.

For the 6pm meeting we'll enjoy Jean's "**Behind the Seams: An Insider's Look into the Textile Industry**" lecture. This is a rare peek into her role as a Hoffman Fabrics Ambassador and curator of the Hoffman Challenge since 2016. Come to **BOTH** unique lectures.

Jean's **workshops** cater to all skill levels and empower participants with the skills and confidence to transform their creative ideas into reality.

The **Friday, April 25, 2025**, workshop will be "**The Magic of Fabulous Faces**". This one of a kind workshop is the result of two inspiring and energetic artists, combining their love of quilting, friendship and talents. In 2017 the renowned quilters Freddy Moran and Jean Impey joined their creative spirits teaching a Collage Retreat. Each artist has her own unique style of portraits and each portrait has a unique story and name. They taught retreats together and separately (Jean quilted and finished Freddy's pieces for her). Jean has developed two different unique styles of quilting these collages.

In this workshop Jean will help us dive into the art of crafting expressive faces with ease and minimal materials. Then we'll discover her unique quilting techniques to bring our designs to life, from quilting to binding.

The **Saturday, April 26, 2025**, workshop will be "**Spider Webs**" – this quilt has been around for hundreds of years and there are many different ways to make one. Jean has come up with a quick and accurate method using your fabric scraps to create a unique quilt. The spider web block can be made traditional, modern or liberated. In the workshop we'll learn new techniques that will improve our speed and accuracy which can apply to all

our quilt projects.

Sign-up for workshops now at <https://wsqspokane.org/events/>





President's Message

I'm looking forward to warmer temperatures as we move into Spring. Green grass and spring flowers are always so welcome during this time of year. I hope you are finding time to sew and create.

Quilt Show registration opens April 24. I'm looking forward to our Quilt Show on October 17-19 at the Spokane Fairgrounds. Please join us for our "**Kaleidoscope of Quilts**" and view the beautiful handiwork. Also, enjoy the opportunities to take classes and shop the many vendor's booths. Our 2025 show promises to be a good one.

At our April Meeting, we would like to recognize a hard-working volunteer for WSQ Volunteer of the Quarter. If you have someone in mind that you think deserves recognition, please nominate them. Please send your nomination to: president@wsqspokane.org.

I'd like to thank Karen Allen for stepping forward as our Hospitality Chairman. You can thank her for this and enjoy the room set-up, show & tell time, and door prize drawing. I hope to see you at our April meeting.

Dina Pappas
WSQ President



Publicity Chairman-WE NEED YOU!

We are looking for a publicity chairman or team for WSQ. To spread our guild message to the community and encourage new membership we are looking for someone to:

- Create content and moderate our social media pages.
- Promote WSQ activities and membership benefits.
- Promote the annual quilt show by posting to local event boards, quilt related social media groups and online quilt guild sites and directories.

Can you help? Please contact Dina Pappas at president@wsqspokane.org

Hello from 1st VP, Programs

We have a wonderful selection of speakers and instructors coming to WSQ in 2025. I hope you all join in the learning, entertainment and social opportunities that these lectures and workshops will surely provide.

All workshops will be held at the Hampton Inn (2010 S Assembly RD, Spokane WA 99224) from 9am – 4pm (doors open at 8:30).

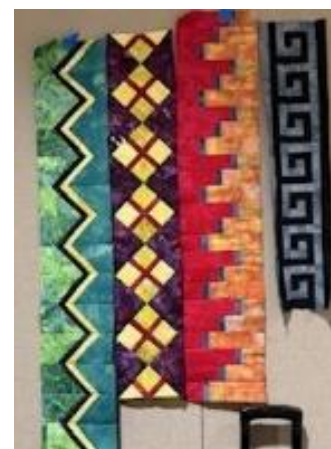
★ ★ Sign-up for workshops now at <https://wsqspokane.org/events/> ★ ★

Click on the links below to check out the upcoming 2025 speakers and instructors.

- April 2025: **Jean Impey** (SewJean) – The Magic of Fabulous Faces workshop and Spider Web Quilt workshop. <https://www.sewjean.com/>
- July 2025: **Reeve Hanson** (Morning Glory Designs) – EQ8. That's right, an Electric Quilt 8 workshop in person!! (must bring your own laptop with EQ8 already installed) and Star Steps workshop. <https://www.morningglorydesigns.com/>
- Sept 2025: **Judy Gauthier** (Bungalow Quilting) *as seen on "The Quilt Show"*– Quilting for Scrap Lovers. Treasure Box Block and it's Variations workshop and Fractured 4-Patch workshop. <https://www.bungalowquilting.com/>

We are currently working on getting the following speakers/instructors for WSQ in 2026:

- Charisma Horton of <https://CharismasCormer.com/>
- Jennifer Wagner of <https://snapdragonquilting.com/>
- Robin Long of <https://RobinRuthdesign.com/>



So much fun at our January 2025 Workshops



Workshop Registration 2025

All workshops are held at the Hampton Inn – Spokane Airport, 2010 S Assembly Rd, Spokane, 99224

April 2025: Jean Impey, SewJean

_____ The Magic of Fabulous Faces	\$65	1/25/2025	9am – 4pm
_____ Spider Web Quilt	\$65	1/26/2025	9am – 4pm

See: <https://www.sewjean.com/>

July 2025: Reeve Hanson, Morning Glory Designs

_____ Electric Quilt 8 (EQ8)	\$65	1/25/2025	9am – 4pm
_____ Star Steps	\$65	1/26/2025	9am – 4pm

Must bring your laptop with EQ8 installed.

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See: <http://www.academyofapplique.com/>

September 2025: Judy Gauthier, Bungalow Quilting

_____ Treasure Box Block and it's Variations	\$65	1/26/2025	9am – 4pm
_____ Fractured 4-patch	\$65	1/27/2025	9am – 4pm

See: <https://www.bungalowquilting.com/>

Name _____ Phone _____

Email _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Make check payable to WSQ and enclose

Questions??? email Firstvp@wsqspokane.org

Please Mail to: Glenda Carlsson 13211 N Stevens ST Spokane WA 99208

WORKSHOP NOTES: You are not registered for a class until you have paid.
In case of cancellation, a refund can only be given if we have at least a 45-day notice...if less than that a refund will be given if we can fill your spot.



Quilt Show Report Kaleidoscope of Colors

Here are our upcoming committee dates for the Quilt show. They are April 9, June 18, and August 20. We will meet at CenterPlace from 6-8 pm, room 108.

We are still looking to fill chair positions for Public Relations and Demos for this year. Are you The One? Contact Sheri.

The quilt show pins are in and will be available for sale at our April meeting. Jan did a phenomenal job on them! Thanks Jan!

Registration will begin on April 24 to enter your quilts for the show. The first 100 quilts entered will receive a special pin. The end date for registration will be July 27.

There will be sign ups for volunteer positions for our upcoming show at our April meeting, which is April 24. It takes 100s if volunteers to present the show. There are sit-down jobs, stand-up jobs, talk-to-everybody jobs and talk-to-nobody jobs. Something just right for you!

If you're interested in consigning your creations for The Boutique, sign up at the Meeting. If you are a returning vendor, you can keep your previous vendor number.

We are also looking for someone to take over the vendor mall position for next year. You would be interacting with all of the vendors to make the event a huge success for each of them, shoppers, and for WSQ. If you are interested, you will have the opportunity to shadow and learn from Carolyn, who has the expertise to share from all of her amazing experience.

Thank you to all of you! We would not have a show or this amazing guild without you!
Sheri and Jan



2025 Quilt Show Bagging Party

WHAT is a Bagging Party???
Groceries? Trash? Munchies and gifts included?

For every quilt show, identification info must be assembled and attached to each of the 500+ quilts in the show. At the Party, baggies are filled with all the necessary paperwork that will be attached to your quilts, so that no entry gets lost or misplaced.

The 2025 Quilt Show Bagging Party is scheduled for the week of September 15 – the exact date will depend on room availability at either The Hive or a county library (which can only be reserved 60 days prior to the event). We will have a sign-up sheet at the April WSQ meeting for those who may be interested – we will then contact you when the date is firm. We should know the exact date by the July meeting and will also have the sign-up sheet available then.
Thank you, Colleen & Cheryl

Fabric Sale

Everything is \$3.00/ yd.
Small and large cuts of wool.
Large cuts of quality quilters cotton.
Beautiful Christmas fabrics.

Contact Elly Chestnut for her address
509-443-2617



Quilt Show Boutique

It's that time again where we encourage volunteers to man (and woman!) the Boutique Booth at the Quilt Show. We welcome new and old consignees to showcase their "craft" in the booth. Making a table runner? Make an extra to sell in the boutique! Have you made a quilt that has no home? Sell it in the boutique! Many crafty items are needed for the new larger area the boutique has in Bay 3. Quilting related, hand-finished items that are made by our WSQ members are put on sale in the Boutique. Come join us by stopping by at the membership meeting to get your consignment number. If you were a consignee last year please make sure we have reserved your number for this year. We encourage all consignees to stop by and pick up a copy of the new information concerning copyright laws and licensed fabrics. As a maker of items, or a consignee, the funds that you receive from the sale of your items at the quilt show should arrive within a few weeks after the show. Consider this a Christmas present to yourself! Splurge on that quilt kit, quilt retreat, or possibly a new sewing machine! Have questions? Just send us an email at: boutique@wsqspokane.org

Volunteer Sign-up for WSQ Quilt Show 2025

Online volunteer sign-ups will be available after the General meeting in April. Click the link below or scan the QR code to access the Signup Genius form. Choose the slot(s) you wish to volunteer for, then click "Save & Continue". Follow the instructions to complete the form. If you need help, email MaryAnn Naylor at membership@wsqspokane.org with your name, email, phone number, and preferred volunteer slots. She will manually register you.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0944AF29A1F9C16-50054914-hostesses>



WSQ Quilting Bees

Spread the word and join us at our upcoming **WSQ Quilting Bees**. They are open to everyone, so bring a friend or two. We have two Bees scheduled:
April 5 from 9-2pm at the Spokane Valley Library, 22 N Herald Rd.
May 3 from 10-6pm at the Moran Prairie Library, 6004 S Regal St.
Come sew with us and enjoy a day of quilting, door prizes, a fat quarter drawing, and potluck lunch.

- Bring a project or two to work on. A power strip and extension cord are good to have.
- Bring a dish or snack to share. Crock pots and coolers work well for the library space. Bring your own beverages.
- Show & share a finished or unfinished project.
- Our Fat Quarter Drawing theme for April is “Spring” and May is “Patriotic”. Each FQ earns one entry into our “winner takes all” drawing.

Charity Central

We received 61 finished quilts at the January meeting and gave away 80 to various organizations in the Spokane Community this quarter. Thank you for your help with this! We gave out all our Panel Kits and some of them are already completed as tops. They are so pretty! We will have more panel kits at our April meeting. I hope you will try one; they are very fast and easy to make!

We received another donation from Shabby Fabrics right before Christmas and have spent the last couple of months sorting and cutting it. I have gone through the entire thing and assigned all the fabric to be cut into various sizes for future kits. I hope you like scrappy kits because there are a bunch of them coming! So much beautiful fabric!

Who knew that so many people like to cut fabric? I sorted through all the Shabby Fabric and assigned it all to be cut into various sizes. Every time I got what I call an “amazing” amount of fabric ready to be cut, it all got picked up by someone who couldn’t wait to get started! So, I thought that maybe some of you would be interested in cutting and donating your own fabric to us. We can no longer accept fabric donations because we get such a huge amount from Shabby, but we can accept cut up fabric to put into our scrappy kits.

The basis of most of our kits is the 6.5” square. Most of what we cut will all play nicely together and make a six-inch square. When cutting up fabric for scraps, always start with the biggest piece you can get out of it. There will be lots of scraps after that that can be cut into smaller pieces. If you would like to cut and donate fabric to us, we use the following sizes:

Squares: 6.5”, 5” (charm square), 3.5”, and 2.5”

Rectangles: 4.5” x 8.5” (Jewel Box), 3.5” x 6.5” (brick), 2.5” x 6.5”, (Rail Fence) and 2.5” x 4.5” (potato chip)

Strips: 6.5” x WOF, 5” x WOF, 3.5” x WOF, and 2.5” x WOF

Triangles: 6.5” Half Square Triangle, 6.5” Quarter Square Triangle, and 3.5” Half Square Triangle.

We also accept orphan blocks, UFOs, and kits. We are happy to help you clean out your stash!
Happy Cutting!

Kathleen Woods, Charity Central Chair

WSQ Mystery Quilt Finding Grace

This is IT!!! The reveal of **Finding Grace** will be at the General Membership meeting in April and the final clue will go out on Sunday April 27. It will be great to see all of your finished mystery quilts in July, September and then at the show in October. It has been sew much fun to see the progress the participants have made. Each one is a work of art. See you in April!

Hugs and stitches!
Darlene Mossman

DON'T FORGET THE SHOP HOP

April 29-May 3

27 Participating Shops

Details at
[WSQspokane.org/events/shop hop](http://WSQspokane.org/events/shop-hop)



WSQ Challenge Packets at April Meeting

Are you ready for the next exciting WSQ Challenge? We are thrilled to announce that the Challenge packets will be available at the April meeting. Don't miss out on this fantastic opportunity to participate in our vibrant community event.

Availability: April meeting - Cost: \$2 per packet

Why Participate? Participating in the WSQ Challenge gives you the chance to showcase your skills, creativity, and enthusiasm. It's a wonderful way to engage with fellow members, share ideas, and be part of a supportive and inspiring community.

How to Get Your Packet: Simply attend the April meeting, and you'll be able to purchase your Challenge packet for just \$2. It's that easy! Whether you're a seasoned participant or new to the challenge, everyone is welcome.

We Look Forward to Seeing You! Join us at the April meeting, get your WSQ Challenge packet, and embark on a journey of creativity and fun. We can't wait to see what you come up with!

Palouse Patchers

MOSCOW, IDAHO

43rd ANNUAL QUILT SHOW APRIL 12-13 IN MOSCOW

Moscow, ID -- The public is invited to the 43rd annual Palouse Patchers' Quilt Show April 12 and 13 at the Latah County Fairgrounds Event Center, 1021 Harold Street, in Moscow. Show hours on Saturday are 10 am. to 5 pm. and Sunday, April 13, 10 am. to 4 pm.

The international theme **"Around the World"** highlights this year's queen-size raffle quilt which is done in pastels; the block style is "trip around the world." Tickets for \$1 each are available at the show. A winner will be drawn on Sunday afternoon; you need not be present to win. Cookies with an international theme will be available in the kitchen with free refreshments.

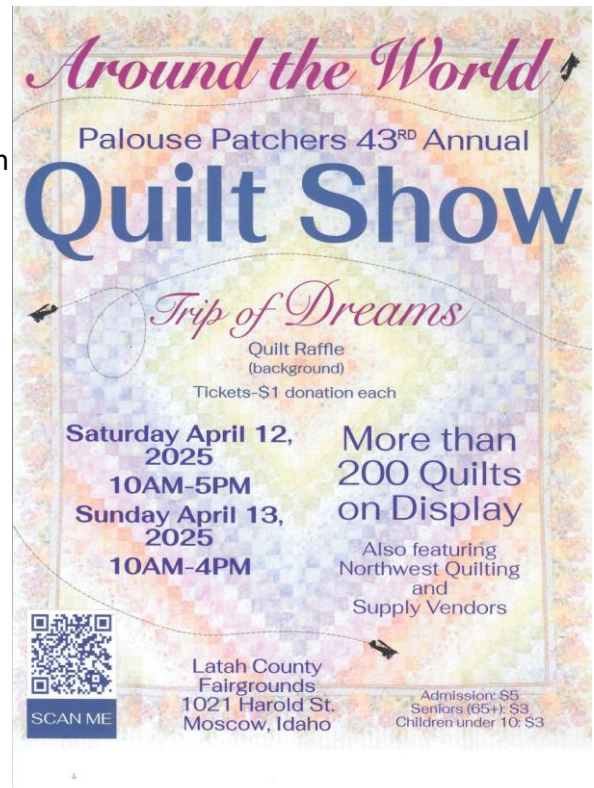
Over 200 quilts made locally are expected to be shown. Attendees can purchase items from 8 vendor booths plus a scissor/knife sharpening service. While the quilts are not for sale, fabrics, kits, patterns, and related quilting and craft items will be for sale. And Palouse Patchers' members will be selling quilted and hand-made gifts.

The show has been an annual hit with families and community members since 1981 and is a showcase for beginners and experienced quilters from the Palouse region.

The fee to enter is \$5.00 for the day, or \$3.00 for seniors 65+ and children under 10. Cash and Venmo payments accepted. Groups can request a discount by contacting Madeline Martin at mjmartin@pullman.com

One quilter will be awarded a monetary prize if they win the Janet Freitag Challenge using this year's theme "Bermuda Triangles." Guild members will also compete for the Quilt Show's Chairs' Challenge called "My Dream Vacay." Everyone can vote for their favorite quilts for Peoples' Choice awards.

For more information about the show or to submit a quilt by April 1, see the Palouse Patchers' website www.palousepatchers.org. Proceeds from the show help fund educational events, projects that encourage participation in the fabric arts, and support a variety of community organizations.



WSQ Calendar

Shop Hop
April 29-May 3

Quilt Show Board meetings

April 9, Center Place from 6 - 8 pm, room 108.
June 18, Center Place from 6 - 8 pm, room 108.
August 20, Center Place from 6 - 8 pm, room 108.

WSQ Board Member meetings

will be as follows:

June 11, 2025, Centerplace 6-8 pm
August 13, 2025, Centerplace 6-8 pm
December 3, 2025, Centerplace 6-8 pm

General Membership Meetings

will be as follows:

April 24, 2025, Centerplace 1 pm and 6 pm
July 24, 2025, Centerplace 1 pm and 6 pm
September 25, 2025, Centerplace 1 pm and 6 pm

Quilting Bees

April 5, 9-2 pm, Spokane Valley Library,
22 N Herald Rd.
May 3, 10-6 pm, Moran Prairie Library,
6004 S Regal St.

Newsletter Articles Due

Monday, June 16, 2025
Monday, August 16, 2025
Monday, December 8, 2025



Quilting fills my heart ...

And my closets...

And my cupboards ...

And my basement ...

Fair Ribbons Committee

It's that time of year again when we should all begin planning which of our projects we've completed (or are working on) could be entered in one (or more) of the local fairs that WSQ supports. In an effort "... to promote and enhance the art of quilt making by exhibitions, lectures, and workshops offered to the organization membership and the general public" (in accordance with our by-laws), we provide beautiful 1st & 2nd place ribbons to each fair. The first place winner also receives a monetary award and a picture of their quilt is displayed on the WSQ website. Pictures of the winning quilts for 2021 through 2024 are still available for viewing.

The fairs and their 2025 dates have been updated on our website. Once the fairs have uploaded their exhibitor guides for this year, we will add a link to the guides so it is easy for you to find their requirements and entry forms. Not all of the exhibitor guides are available at the same time, so check back periodically.

Here is a list of the fairs we support and their dates for 2025:

- Ferry County Fair, Republic, WA August 29-31
- Grant County Fair, Moses Lake, WA August 12-16
- Lincoln County Fair, Davenport, Wa August 21-23
- North Idaho Fair, Coeur d'Alene, Id August 15-24
- Northeast Wa Fair, Colville, WA August 21-24
- Palouse Empire Fair, Colfax, WA September 4-7
- Pend Oreille County Fair, Cusick, WA August 14-17
- Southeast Spokane County Fair, Rockford, WA September 19-21
- Spokane Interstate Fair, Spokane, WA September 5-14
- Wheatland Communities Fair, Ritzville, WA August 28-31

We encourage you to support one or more of these fairs by entering your quilts. By participating, you are supporting the fair and letting the public know that quilt making is alive and thriving in the Inland Northwest and letting the fairs know that you appreciate them including the quilt display as part of their fair!

SMALL GROUP SCOOP

WELCOME 2025, if you are interested in joining a small group to meet new people and maybe learn a new technique. Check these groups out, some are accepting new members and may be near your home. If you need any other information, contact me, Ernie at "small.groups@ws Spokane.org" or any of the contact persons listed below.

LOCATION	GROUP NAME	TIME/PLACE	New memb	CONTACT PERSON
Blanchard ID	The Blanchard Stitchers	3 rd & 4 th Tuesday 10-2pm Blanchard Comm. Center	Yes	Penny Funkhouser 1-206-799-8964 plfunkhouser@gmail.com
Chattaroy, WA	CCC Charity Quilters	Mon 10- 2pm Chattaroy Church	Yes	Ruth McCormick 509-590-6463 sewnsmart@gmail.com
Cheney, WA	Cheney Country Quilters	Monday 1 – 3 at Wren Pierson Bldg.	Yes	Judy Corder 509-290-4310 jcorder121@gmail.com
Cheney, WA	Cheney Frayed Edges	1 st & 3 rd Monday 6:30pm United Methodist Church	Yes	Donna Lythgoe Cheneylythgoe@gmail.com
Colbert, WA	Quilt Charmers	Wednesday 9:30 -3:00pm St. Joseph's Catholic	Yes	Linda Plett 509-951-2172 lindaplett@icloud.com

		Church		
Colfax, WA	Whitman Sampler Quilt Guild	2 nd Tuesday 6:30 pm Palouse River Quilts	Yes	Michelle Beckman 509-397-2278 motqltr2@yahoo.com
Colville, WA	Colville Piecemakers	3 rd Monday 1:30pm Arden Comm. Hall	Yes	Kathie Ogden 509-262-0345
Deer Park, WA	Fat Quarter Quilters	Tuesdays 10-2 pm Faith Lutheran Church	Yes	Lorraine Ader 509-953-6509 geminis4262@gmail.com
Grand Coulee, WA	Coulee Creators	2 nd Monday 10-4pm Former Middle SCH.	Yes	Marlene Oddie 509-386-5715 marlene@kissedquilts.com
Ione, WA	Forgotten Corner Quilters	1 st Tuesday 6:30 pm Ione Cath. Church	Yes	Shirley 509-446-2429 landpzimm@gmail.com
Newport, WA	Me Too Quilt Squad	2 nd Thursday 10am American Lutheran Church	No	Diane Strand 509-447-4013 strandpe@gmail.com
Newport, WA	Welcome Hm Vets Quilts of Valor (QOV)	1 st Tuesday and 3 rd Friday of each month 11- 4pm Hospitality House 216 S. Washington Ave,	Yes	Darlene Mossman darlene@welcomehomegov.org
OPEN TO ALL Spokane WA	Inland Northwest Machine Quilters	Hillyard Comm. Center 4001 N Cook. St 3 rd Sat. of Jan., Mar, Sept, and Nov. 2 nd Sat. of June	Yes	Beth North 509-993-4699 president@INMQ.org
Post Falls, ID	North Idaho Quilts of Valor	3 rd Monday 10-3pm PF American Legion	Yes	Giannine O'Connor 530-515-4111 patrioticpiecers@gmail.com
Rosalia, WA	3 rd Tues Quilt Club	3 rd Tuesday 6 pm Pinewood Cottage	Yes	Marianne Morke 503-960-2554 mamorkve@hotmail.com
Spokane, WA	Charity Central	Check Charity Central Facebook page for dates and times and locations	Yes	Kathleen Woods charity.central@wsqspokane.org
Spokane, WA	Hand Applique	2 nd Tues of Month at The Hive. Please contact us for time and door code	Yes	Lorean Boornazi, jimloean@cet.com Sherry Thompson, sherrysews@gmail.com
Spokane, WA	Sandbox Quilters	Tues 9:30-2:30 Corbin Sr. Center	Yes	Chris Millspaugh 850-982-3945 chrismillspa@gmail.com
Spokane, WA	Greater Spokane Quilts of Valor	Varies-members contacted by email	Yes	Diane Watters 509-993-4590 spokane.qov@gmail.com
Spokane, WA	Inland NW Modern Quilt Guild	3 rd Sat 10-2 pm Corbin Sr. Center	Yes	Katie Larimer 509-768-3579 info@inmodquiltguild.com

Block Exchange

See Shawna Troyer for more info.

DOUBLE PINWHEEL BLOCK

12" finished block size

Pattern from www.quilterscache.com

Supplies:

Purple: 2 - 6 7/8" squares

Teal: 1 - 7 1/4" square

White: 1 - 7 1/4" square

Directions:

1: Cut your purple 6 7/8" squares in half, diagonally.

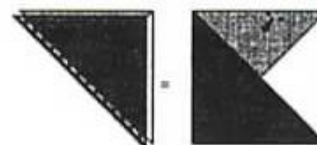
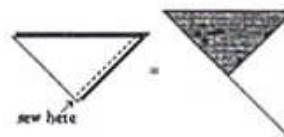
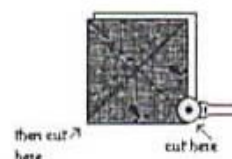
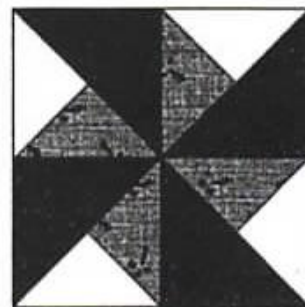
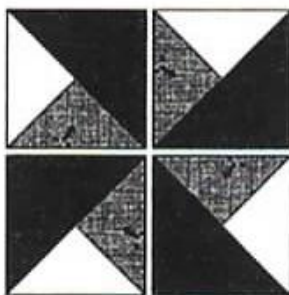
2: Stack your teal and white squares and cut in half diagonally, then in half again the other way.

3: With right sides together: Sew teal and white together:

Press towards the teal. Repeat for all four sets.

4: Lay purple triangle on top of half triangles, sew with 1/4" seam. Press towards the purple. Square the unit if needed. Repeat for all 4 units.

5: Sew squares together in this order:



Block Exchange: Make the block published in the newsletter and enter in the raffle for a chance to win the blocks at the end of the evening meeting. Need not be present to win. Turn this block in at the April 24, 2025 meeting.

Questions: reach out to Shawna Troyer at block.exchange@wsqspokane.org.

These fabulous shops have given door prizes for our General Meetings.
Support them and let them know you appreciate them.

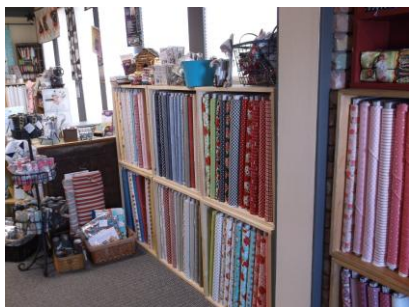
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Broadway
Ave
Spokane

Quilted Posies Quilt Shop



6412 N Monroe
Spokane 99208
509-474-9394
quiltedposies@comcast.net



Quilt Patch Lane 409 West

Hastings Spokane, WA 99218
(509) 467-0133 info@quiltpatchlane.com



243 West Broadway,
Reardan, WA 99029-8664
(509) 990-7670



CUPPA TEA QUILTING

9 US Hwy 2

Priest River, ID 83856
(509) 589-1350
Email: Teresa@cuppateaquilting.com



3916 E Chattaroy Rd
Chattaroy WA 99003
509 953-1566
julishogan@gmail.com



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28848 Tramm Rd N
Reardan, WA 99029
Phone: 509-995-6245

Email: onesisterdesigns@gmail.com



**Washington
State Quilters**
Spokane Chapter

2025 WSQ Membership Registration

Welcome to WSQ!

Dues are \$35 for a calendar year. The newsletter will be emailed to you quarterly. You can have it mailed to you for \$15.00 to cover postage. You can pay in person at the next WSQ meeting, mail this form and a check made out to **WSQ**, or sign up online at wsqspokane.org.

Renewing members only: please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

New members: We will prepare a packet for you and WSQ will pay the postage.

Guest Fees: \$15 at the door

Name:

Address:

City: State/Zip:

Phone: Email:

- New member (\$35)**
- 2024 member (\$35)**
- Returning former member (\$35)**
- Mail the newsletter (\$15)**
- Change in information**

Mail Check to:
WSQ Membership
PO Box 7117
Spokane, WA 99207
or
Sign up online: wsqspokane.org

Total of membership and mailed newsletter is \$50.

WSQ membership runs on a calendar year from January through December. We do not prorate.

You may renew/join at the September or January meetings for the upcoming year.

If you haven't renewed by the end of February, you will be dropped from the roster and you will no longer receive the newsletter, be able to participate in the yard sale or the boutique, register early for workshops or enjoy the many other benefits of WSQ membership.

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GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
January 23, 2025
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The General Membership meeting was brought to order by President Dina Pappas at 1:05pm. She started the meeting by introducing all the board members including our new Quilt Show Chairs for 2025, Sheri Woehrle and Janice "Jan" Benshoof.

The minutes from September Membership meeting were approved as presented and approved by all members present. The Volunteer of the Quarter, Anita Pederson, was presented with a volunteer certificate, a pin, and a free class voucher. Thank You, Anita, for all the hard work you do for WSQ.

Glenda Carlsson, 1st VP, reported that we will be having our very own Kristin Echols, as the Guest Speaker. She will be speaking about Quilt as You Go, and this evening she will be presenting her Seminole Patchwork. On Friday, January 24, at the Hampton Inn, she will be having a class on doing the Quilt as You Go Quilts and on Saturday, the 25, the class will be about Seminole Patchwork. Glenda reported that there are a few open spots for each class. If you are interested, please see her. You are not scheduled to attend until your registration is done and payment has been received.

We will be presenting Jean Impey from Sew Jean on April 24. On Friday, April 25, Jean will be presenting a class on The Magic of Fabulous Faces; on Saturday, January 26, the class will be Spider Web Magic. See her web page at www.sewjean.com. In July, we will have Reeze Hanson who will present EQ8. She is from Morning Glory Designs. She will be teaching how to use the EQ8 computer design program. Her classes on July 24 and 25 will consist of learning and using the EQ8 program. You must have the program installed on your computer before coming to class. On September 25, our speaker will be Judy Gauthier, from Bungalow Quilting. Her classes on September 26 and 27, will be Treasure Box Block and its Variations and Fractured 4 Patch. If you are interested in any of the classes, please see Glenda to sign up before they sell out.

Second VP chairs-Sheri and Jan reported that Robin Long will be the Featured Speaker at the October Quilt Show. The theme is "Kaleidoscope of Colors". The Quilt Show committee is looking for someone to take the positions of Scheduling Floor Demos, and Publicity Chair. If you are interested in helping, please see Sheri or Jan after the meeting.

If you have any ideas for fundraising, please see Roberta Waines, or Candy Shipley. Cheryl Moriarty is looking for members who have passed away to honor in the Memorial Section at the Quilt Show.

Cathy Anderson, Treasurer, reported that we have been hacked again, so if you have any receipts or bills to be paid, please let her know. The checking account is up to date and all finances are in order. If you have any questions or concerns, please see Cathy. If you have any questions or concerns regarding our Budget, see Cheryl Clossin for that information. The Raffle Quilt for 2025 Quilt Show has been finished. It is a beautiful, hand quilted and hand appliqued quilt by the following ladies: Darlene Wise, Carolyn Love, Donna Boucher, Pat Meinecke, Ann Swannack, Molly Kuntz, Nancy Kirkland, Ruth Danner.

Kelly Fisher reported that the yard sale is March 22 and forms have been updated on the website to purchase a table. The cost is now \$30.00 per table. The Yard Sale will be held at the Spokane Community College from 8 am to 11:30 am.

Ruth McCormick reported that our Shop Hop will be April 29 to May 3. We are not affiliated with the "All Pacific Northwest Shop Hop". You do not need to purchase any magazine or passport for the WSQ Shop Hop. We now have posters and counter cards for the 26 shops that are participating. We would like members who live near a participating shop to pick up a packet of counter cards and a poster and deliver them. Please sign out the cards and poster. The Shop Hop is now 5 days long to give you more time to shop.

Block Exchange, Shawna Troyer, had 2 winners for the block exchange of the rail fence. Those winners were Gretchin Serafin and Lori Knotted.

Some committee reports did not have any other new information to report. Please see the newsletter for all recent reports from the committees.

Our meeting ended after we had Show and Tell and awarded door prizes. We took our guest speaker Kristin Echols out to lunch at Olive Garden. Everyone was invited. The meeting ended at 3pm.

Our evening meeting started as our afternoon meeting, and the minutes were approved by all present. All the committees gave their reports, and it was like the afternoon meeting, with our guest speaker Kristin Echols, Show and Tell, and door prizes. Our meeting ended at 8pm.

Respectfully Submitted
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